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TO THE FLORIDA STAR

Amid the galaxy sublime
That shines for all through worlds of space
One little STAR has measured time
Undimmed by clouds its radiant face.

Behold it winging o'er this land
With message of good cheer to all.
I've watched its thirty years expand
Through rain and shine to reach its goal.

Keep on thy way with radiant glow,
O STAR, shine on, and light afar
To all thy friends, to let them know,
Three decades crown thee FLORIDA STAR.

LUCIE ADA MACKENZIE.

Florida is Now in Line

The Florida legislature has submitted the prohibition question to the people, to be settled at the polls in 1910.

In a strong article on this all important subject the Miami Metropolis alludes as follows:

"The fight from now on will be a strenuous one, for although a great majority of Florida's counties are dry, the thickly populated counties where are located the larger cities, are wet, and the friends and enemies of liquor are about evenly divided. The negro vote, which is largely in favor of the whiskey element will be a factor in the election and it is thought for this reason, many white men who would otherwise be disinterested in the issue, will cast their votes for the dry side on account of the negro alliance with the whiskey element. In this manner, too, the voting strength of Florida will be determined.

"The anti-prohibitionists fought hard against the adoption of the resolution, and even pleaded that there was a chance of passing a prohibition bill through the legislature. The prohibitionists have fought the liquor element so long that they did not heed the suggestion of their enemies, knowing it to be insincere. The prohibitionists preferred a square fight at the polls where they feel sure of victory.

"The people of Florida know what the issue before them means. They know that prohibition prohibits if the proper officers are elected and they know that the saloon evil and drink curse are the top-liners in the cause of crime. The people of Florida know that the old campaign cry of the whiskey houses that saloons help a town is an absolute lie. The people of Miami know that of the five or six murders, wherein white men killed white men, in this county within the past year, whiskey was at the bottom of all the crimes. Whiskey did it. Ask the men who killed their fellow men if that isn't true.

"On the other hand, the liquor interests are large in this state. They should be allowed to dispose of their property rather than have it voted away from them. Between now and November, of 1910, the saloon-keepers and wholesale liquor houses should find opportunity of selling out and going into some other business. A year and a half is plenty of time to get rid of the property. We believe this is the best thing for the liquor people to do, sell out, for your business will be condemned at the polls. The people will no longer license it and you will then have no foot to stand on."

Breaking Jail at DeLand

Thursday night of last week five negro prisoners broke out of the county jail at DeLand, making their escape by digging out under the wall of the building from the floor of the corridor. Four of the prisoners were Charlie Warren, John Johnson, Arthur Nelson, Theo. Hart, the other name was not given. Nelson had just been sentenced to hang for murder at Cow Creek; Warren had not yet been tried for killing the Geiger girl at Daytona last winter; Johnson was sentenced last week to life imprisonment for murder. It certainly was very lax conduct for a jailor to allow such desperate characters, who had been sentenced too, to have the freedom of the corridor, and especially so at night.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT RESOLUTION PASSED

Prohibitionists Had No Trouble Getting Their Bill Through for a Submission to the People

By a vote of 52 to 16 the Florida house of representatives on Saturday voted to adopt the McMullen prohibition resolution as passed by the senate the day previous by a vote of 24 to 7. The fight for the temperance hosts was led by Representative Hilburn, of Palatka, while Representative MacWilliams of St. Johns, eloquently, though vainly, tried to stem the tide which was running so strong for wiping out the liquor business from Florida.

Immediately following the adoption of the resolution Mr. MacWilliams, of St. Johns county, gave notice of a motion to reconsider. While he is a local optionist and has fought valiantly against the resolution, he voted in the affirmative, thereby giving to him the privilege of moving for a reconsideration under the rules of the house. While it is possible, it is hardly probable that the house will reconsider its action as it requires a two-thirds vote to determine.

The resolution, which was adopted by the senate the preceding day by a vote of 24 to 7, provides for an amendment to the constitution for submission of the prohibition question to the people of the state at the next general election, which according to the constitution, will be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November 1910.

The resolution further provides that should prohibition carry at this election the law shall not be enforced until after six months shall have elapsed from the date of election.

This provision was made, it is stated in order to allow the saloon men ample time in which to dispose of their stocks.

Death of Edward S. Quinby

Ossining Daily Citizen, April 17th.

Edward S. Quinby, one of Ossining's highly respected citizens, passed peacefully away last evening at 8:45 p. m. after a brief illness, at the age of 75 years. He was stricken with paralysis early Tuesday morning.

The deceased was born in New York city and was a son of Caleb and Elizabeth Thorne Tompkins Quinby. He married Eliza Field Quinby, of Brooklyn, N. Y., on February 20th, 1861.

His widow and five children survive him. The children are Mrs. Mary E. Freidel, of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Capt. Edward Jay Quinby, of San Diego, Cal.; Wilfred Quinby, of White Plains, N. Y.; Miss Nellie C. Quinby and Mrs. Florence E. Whited, of Ossining on the Hudson.

Mr. Quinby was a member of the Friends Society of Chappaqua, N. Y., and has been a member of Kisco Lodge No. 708, F. and A. M. for more than forty years.

The funeral will be held Tuesday at 2 p. m. from Friends Meeting House of Chappaqua.

Ossining Daily Citizen, April 21st.

The funeral of the late Edward S. Quinby was held yesterday, a Masonic service being conducted at the house, 12 Eastern avenue, at noon, and the church service being at Chappaqua. The Masonic service was read by Past Master Edgar Rice, of Radium lodge, F. and A. M. of Ossining.

The remains were then taken to the Friends meeting house, Chappaqua, the funeral was conducted by Friends Robinson and Barnes, preachers. The burial service at Fair Ridge cemetery was under the direction of Mt. Kisco lodge, F. A. M., with which the deceased had long been affiliated. The lodge also sent a very choice floral piece.

Mr. Quinby was the owner of Auranthia, where he and his family resided in the latter '70s and '80s and there he ran a large saw mill for several years, after which he returned to his former home in New York.—Ed. STAR.

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Dean Robottom will officiate in St. Johns church, Eau Gallie, on Sunday morning, May 2nd, at 10:30 o'clock, and in Holy Trinity church, Melbourne, on Sunday evening at 7:30.

E. E. Shafer, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, Melbourne, will preach at City Point church on Sunday morning, May 2nd, at 10:30 o'clock. All are welcome to this service.

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John M. McCrory, living on Main St., Titusville, Fla., says: "My back was very lame and sore and when I stooped or lifted anything I found it very difficult to regain an erect position. I could not assume a position at night that was comfortable and I felt miserable. The kidney secretions did not act in their normal manner and gave me much annoyance. Finally Doan's Kidney Pills came to my attention, and I began taking them according to directions. They proved to be just what I required, soon eradicated the backache and banished the lameness and soreness. The action of the kidney secretions was also corrected, and I feel better in every way. I sincerely recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to any person in need of a reliable kidney remedy."

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McLwaine Knight & Co.; Ernest L. Rhodes & Co.; Schwab Clothing Co.; Carter & Churchill Co.; The Regal Manufacturing Co.; H. B. Claffin Co.; Boydell Bro. White Lead & Color Co.; Augustus Wright Co.; C. H. & E. S. Goldburg; Frank & Co.; Atkins, McKelden & Brown Co.; Millbury Atlantic Supply Co.; The Rosenfeld Co.; and Bridgeford & Co.; I have levied upon and will sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash, during the legal hours of sale on Monday, the seventh day of June, A. D. 1903, at the store of John R. Walker & Co., on Washington avenue, in Titusville, Florida, the following personal property in said store, to-wit: The whole of the stock of goods of the said defendants, including a single horse wagon and harness, except the perishable portion of said stock heretofore disposed of under a special order of the court. Said goods will be disposed of either in block or in separate parcels so as to realize the highest sum therefor.

J. P. BROWN,
Sheriff Brevard County, Florida.
Titusville, Fla., April 30th, 1903.

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Surveying Canal for Government

Gathering data about the Florida Coast Line canal for the United States government Capt. O. N. Bie, aboard the steamer McGuire, is en route down the inside route from St. Augustine this week making investigations. Capt. J. J. Mickler is in command of the boat.

The McGuire is a government boat and has been employed in pulling snags out of the St. Johns river. She left the mouth of the St. Johns river last Saturday morning in tow of the powerful tug, Three Friends, and arrived in St. Augustine in less than four hours by five minutes.

From there the boat proceeded down the canal, and will go as far as Key West. Capt. Bie will make soundings and borings along the canal and natural waterway ascertaining the depth of water and the character of the bottom. He expects the trip to consume a couple of months.

This trip is made with the object of securing information for the government which is indispensable in placing a valuation on the canal which the government is contemplating purchasing.

Capt. Bie and Capt. Mickler are comfortably situated aboard the boat having the comforts of a hotel. The superstructure of the boat contains a large office which is also used for a dining room. There are two spacious staterooms and bathroom, also plenty of deck room.

Drawing only three and one-half feet of water the McGuire will have no difficulty in navigating the canal. She is 70 feet in length and 18 feet beam and is equipped with a 50 h. p. engine. She also carries a derrick operated by an engine capable of lifting a ton. This derrick is used for removing snags from navigable streams.

In the event of the government acquiring the canal the same will be deepened to ten feet and will probably also be widened.

REV. J. G. DUKES

Writes: My wife has been in a very bad state of health. Nothing seemed to do her any good until she began

TO USE PERUNA.



MRS. J. G. DUKES.

Rev. J. G. Dukes, Pastor of the Unitarian Church of Pinetown, N. C., writes:

"My wife has been in a very bad state of health for several years, and nothing seemed to do her any good until she began to use Peruna one month ago. Since then the color has returned to her face, and she is gaining in flesh every day, and I believe she is a well woman to-day.

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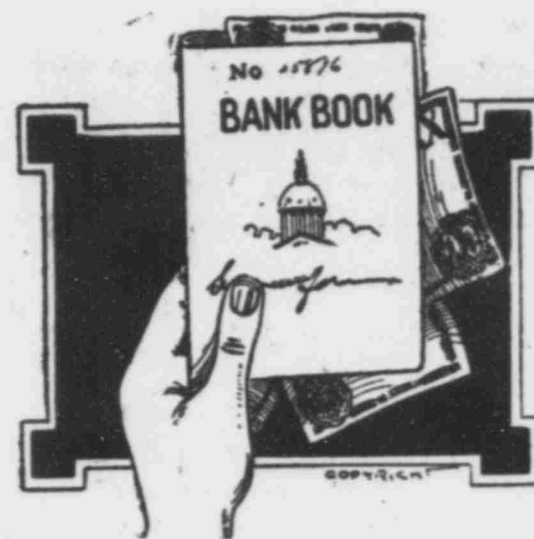
Mrs. T. J. Ballard, Pryor Creek, Indian Territory, writes: "I am happy to tell you that I keep free from my old stomach trouble; feel no catarrhal symptoms at all. I am able to do my work, eat and drink what I want, and rejoice that I found a sure cure in your valuable medicines, which I failed to find in the best of home physicians."

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